

Table 26

**Table 26. Gas Home Customer-Weighted Heating Degree-Days**

Census Divisions	November 1 through November 30					December 1 through December 31				
	Normal <sup>a</sup>	2001	2002	Percent Change		Normal <sup>a</sup>	2001	2002	Percent Change	
				Normal to 2002	2001 to 2002				Normal to 2002	2001 to 2002
New England										
CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, VT .....	700	596	763	9.0	28.0	1,041	868	1,030	-1.1	18.7
Middle Atlantic										
NJ, NY, PA .....	665	497	742	11.6	49.3	996	804	1,012	1.6	25.9
East North Central										
IL, IN, MI, OH, WI .....	756	508	776	2.6	52.8	1,133	929	1,029	-9.2	10.8
West North Central										
IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE, SD .....	830	528	840	1.2	59.1	1,235	1,021	1,023	-17.2	0.2
South Atlantic										
DE, FL, GA, MD and DC, NC, SC, VA, WV .....	437	311	504	15.3	62.1	692	552	714	3.2	29.3
East South Central										
AL, KY, MS, TN .....	447	306	531	18.8	73.5	712	583	690	-3.1	18.4
West South Central										
AR, LA, OK, TX .....	303	215	371	22.4	72.6	535	460	470	-12.1	2.2
Mountain										
AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, WY .....	747	615	721	-3.5	17.2	1,006	994	883	-12.2	-11.2
Pacific <sup>b</sup>										
CA, OR, WA .....	350	306	239	-31.7	-21.9	513	515	389	-24.2	-24.5
U.S. Average <sup>b</sup>	581	421	596	2.6	41.6	874	744	796	-8.9	7.0
	January 1 through January 31					February 1 through February 28				
Normal <sup>a</sup>	2002	2003	Percent Change		Normal <sup>a</sup>	2002	2003	Percent Change		
			Normal to 2003	2002 to 2003				Normal to 2003	2002 to 2003	
New England										
CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, VT .....	1,205	977	1,282	6.4	31.2	1,026	865	1,077	5.0	24.5
Middle Atlantic										
NJ, NY, PA .....	1,156	910	1,264	9.3	38.9	981	809	1,082	10.3	33.7
East North Central										
IL, IN, MI, OH, WI .....	1,301	1,000	1,294	-0.5	29.4	1,059	881	1,094	3.3	24.2
West North Central										
IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE, SD .....	1,375	1,089	1,276	-7.2	17.2	1,066	897	1,101	3.3	22.7
South Atlantic										
DE, FL, GA, MD and DC, NC, SC, VA, WV .....	794	653	840	5.8	28.6	631	580	632	0.2	9.0
East South Central										
AL, KY, MS, TN .....	818	671	886	8.3	32.0	622	624	601	-3.4	-3.7
West South Central										
AR, LA, OK, TX .....	609	503	573	-5.9	13.9	427	472	410	-4.0	-13.1
Mountain										
AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, WY .....	1,035	1,001	757	-26.9	-24.4	811	814	793	-2.2	-2.6
Pacific <sup>b</sup>										
CA, OR, WA .....	514	540	312	-39.3	-42.2	398	373	351	-11.8	-5.9
U.S. Average <sup>b</sup>	981	810	938	-4.4	15.8	784	692	800	2.0	15.6

See footnotes at end of table.

**Table 26. Gas Home Customer-Weighted Heating Degree-Days**  
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Census Divisions	Cumulative November 1 through February 28				
	Normal <sup>a</sup>	2001- 2002	2002- 2003	Percent Change	
				Normal to 2003	2002 to 2003
<b>New England</b>					
CT, ME, MA, NH, RI, VT .....	3,972	3,306	4,152	4.5	25.6
<b>Middle Atlantic</b>					
NJ, NY, PA .....	3,798	3,020	4,100	8.0	35.8
<b>East North Central</b>					
IL, IN, MI, OH, WI .....	4,249	3,318	4,193	-1.3	26.4
<b>West North Central</b>					
IA, KS, MN, MO, ND, NE, SD .....	4,506	3,535	4,240	-5.9	19.9
<b>South Atlantic</b>					
DE, FL, GA, MD and DC, NC, SC, VA, WV .....	2,554	2,096	2,690	5.3	28.3
<b>East South Central</b>					
AL, KY, MS, TN .....	2,599	2,184	2,708	4.2	24.0
<b>West South Central</b>					
AR, LA, OK, TX .....	1,874	1,650	1,824	-2.7	10.5
<b>Mountain</b>					
AZ, CO, ID, MT, NV, NM, UT, WY .....	3,599	3,424	3,154	-12.4	-7.9
<b>Pacific<sup>b</sup></b>					
CA, OR, WA .....	1,775	1,734	1,291	-27.3	-25.5
<b>U.S. Average<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>3,220</b>	<b>2,667</b>	<b>3,130</b>	<b>-2.8</b>	<b>17.4</b>

<sup>a</sup> Normal is based on calculations of data from 1961 through 1990.

Note 10 for discussion of Heating Degree-Days computations.

<sup>b</sup> Excludes Alaska and Hawaii.

Sources: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Note: See Appendix A, Explanatory